



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

BERRY et al.

Serial No.: 09/341,600

Filed: September 15, 1999

Atty. File No.: 3161-18-PUS

For: "PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION OF  
N-GLUCOSAMINE"

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Alexandria, VA 22313

Group Art Unit: 1652

Examiner: Fronda, C.

REQUEST FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME

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SHERIDAN ROSS P.C.  
BY: *Stephen McFurnish*

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of two (2) months to respond to the Office Action mailed on June 30, 2004, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from September 30, 2004, to November 30, 2004.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$215 as payment for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Respectfully submitted,

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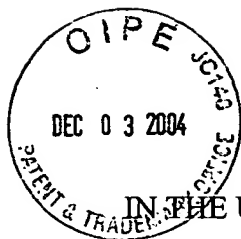
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BY: <u>Sheridan Ross P.C.</u>

Dear Sir:

I, Angela Dallas Sebor, represent that I am agent for Applicants and am authorized to sign this document on behalf of Arkion Life Sciences LLC d/b/a Bio-Technical Resources Division, that Arkion Life Sciences LLC d/b/a Bio-Technical Resources Division is a corporation fully organized under the laws of the State of Delaware and has a place of business at 3521 Silverside Road, Wilmington, Delaware 19810; and that Arkion Life Sciences LLC d/b/a Bio-Technical Resources Division is the owner by assignment of the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/341,600, "Process for Production of N-Glucosamine," filed September 15, 1999, said assignment being recorded in the U.S. Patent Office at Reel 012928, Frame 0887.

I hereby disclaim, on behalf of Arkion Life Sciences LLC d/b/a Bio-Technical Resources Division, the terminal part of any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/341,600 which would extend beyond the expiration date of U.S. Patent No. 6,372,457, and I hereby agree on behalf of Arkion Life Sciences LLC d/b/a Bio-Technical Resources Division that any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/341,600 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to U.S. Patent No. 6,372,457. This agreement runs with any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/341,600 and is binding upon the grantee of such patent and its successors or assigns.

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I do not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/341,600 prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of U.S. Patent No. 6,372,457 in the event that such patent: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 CFR 1.321(a), has all claims canceled by reexamination certificate, is reissued, or is in any manner terminated prior to expiration of its full statutory term.

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